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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF:

**Mylari**

: EXAMINER: To Be Assigned

SERIAL NO.: 10/810,880

: ART UNIT: 1614

FILED: 3/25/2004

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**FOR: Therapies Relating to Combinations  
of Aldose Reductase Inhibitors and  
Cyclooxygenase-2 Inhibitors**

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Commissioner:

**SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

In the matter of the above-referenced application, Applicant respectfully requests that the following amendments to the claims be considered prior to examination on the merits.